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In re the Application of: Allen BORCHARDT, et al.

Serial No.: 10/718,337

Confirmation No.: 9247

Filed: November 19, 2003

For: INHIBITORS OF HEPATITIS C VIRUS RNA-DEPENDENT RNA POLYMERASE, AND COMPOSITIONS AND TREATMENTS

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith are the following documents:

1 page; **Transmittal Letter** 1 page; 1. **Notice to Examiner** 2. 1 page; and Declaration, signed by Inventor Allen Borchardt 3. 1 page

Power of Attorney Form, signed by Inventor Allen Borchardt 4.

Respectfully submitted,

July 30, 2004 Date:

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NOTICE TO EXAMINER:

Further to the Applicant's submission of Missing Parts on April 29, 2004 in reference to the above-identified application, Applicants submit herewith the original Declaration and Power of Attorney for Inventor Allen Borchardt. Applicant believes that they have complied with the Notice To File Missing Parts in their response of April 29, 2004 by submitting copies of the Originally-executed Declaration pursuant to M.P.E.P. §602. Applicants, however, herein submit an executed Declaration with an original signature from Inventor Borchardt.

If necessary, please charge \$130, the fee set forth in 37 CFR §1.16(e), to Deposit Account No. 500329. (A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.) If any other fees are due in connection with the filing of this response, including any fee for a required extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136(a), for which Applicant hereby petitions, please charge all necessary fees to the deposit account.

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